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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Norman G. ANDERSON et al.

Serial No.: 09/880,019

Filed: 14 June 2001

For: MICROARRAYS AND THEIR  
MANUFACTURE

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

After appropriate inquiries were made at the United States Patent and Trademark Office, Applicants were informed that the original Petition to Make Special, timely submitted in the above-captioned application on 14 June 2001, was not entered into the record. Thus, said submission was unavailable for review by the Special Program Examiner.

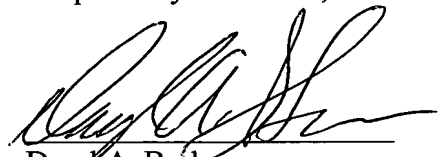
Accordingly, Applicants have provided, herewith, a copy of the originally filed documents necessary for review of said Petition, including the stamped post card demonstrating that such was filed on the above date.

Further, as the original Petition to Make Special was filed under 37 C.F.R. §1.102(c) no fee is required. See also M.P.E.P. §708.02.

RESUBMISSION OF PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL  
U.S. Serial No.: 09/880,019

Given the documentation as enumerated above, Applicants respectfully request that the attached materials be entered into the record and that said Petition be granted as soon as is practicable.

Respectfully submitted,



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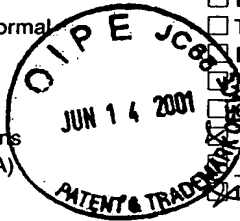
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PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.102(c)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.102(c) and M.P.E.P. § 708.2, the Applicants hereby petition to make the above-identified application special so that it can be taken up for examination on an accelerated basis.

Attached to this Petition is a copy of the first inventor's Drivers License, which demonstrates that he is over sixty-five (65) years of age. This is understood to constitute adequate grounds for granting the Petition under M.P.E.P. § 708.02.

Early and favorable consideration of this Petition is respectfully requested. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.102(c), no fee is understood to be required for this Petition.

Respectfully submitted,

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